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Ashland, Oregon

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Bachtel of Talent submitted to an operation at the hospital Tuesday.

The water is fine at the Natatorium.

Miss Gussie Updegraff returned Tuesday, after a month's visit in San Francisco.

Big August suit sale now going on at Enders'.

Attorney W. J. Moore and family have returned from a week's vacation at Newport.

\$20.00 suits for \$11.00 at Enders' summer sale.

Mrs. F. A. Kormann was operated on for tumor at the Granite City hospital last Tuesday.

Men's 75c shirts only 48c during Enders' sale.

G. F. Billings and wife returned Tuesday from a three weeks' outing at Gearhart Park.

Fuller is the leading tailor, cleaner and presser.

Burton Herrick left for Fresno, Cal., Wednesday, where he will enter school for the winter.

Men's \$5.00 oxfords for \$2.25 during Enders' August sale.

S. A. Myers is enjoying a visit from his brother, George Myers, and wife of San Francisco.

Women's \$3.50 oxfords for \$1.38 at Enders' during August.

Will Dodge and Frank Nelson returned Tuesday from a trip to Crater Lake and Klamath Falls.

Enders is giving some great bargains during his big suit sale.

Louis Lager is filling the office of secretary of the Commercial Club in the absence of W. H. Day.

Boys' knickerbocker suits in the very newest fall styles at Enders'.

W. H. Evans left Monday evening for an extended visit with friends in Ohio and other eastern points.

Cliff Payne can save you about 40 per cent on your fire insurance.

D. Perozzi, Hum Pracht, Bert Matern and Sylvan Provost returned Sunday from an auto tour of Scotts valley.

The Natatorium swimming pool is fine these days. Near the heart of town.

Messdames F. H. and M. L. Chamberlain spent last week in Medford, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Barbee.

Fuller has a special line of novelty woolsens that will attract the good dresser.

Charlie, William and Milton Shoemaker started Wednesday for Mt. Ashland, where they will spend several days.

International Tailoring Co.'s swell fall line now on display at Enders' big store.

L. W. Herrick and wife left today for Portland for a time, after which they will visit the east and later spend some time in California.

AMERICAN BANKERS ASSOCIATION TRAVELERS' CHEQUES



The Citizens Banking and Trust Co.

issues "A. B. A." Cheques and recommends them to tourists. The safest and most convenient travel funds.

Hotels all over the world are glad to cash them for guests. Railways, steamship lines, and the best shops generally, accept them.



Miss Evelyn Merrell left this afternoon for Berkeley, Cal., where she will attend the state university the coming year.

Chicken dinner at the Park Hotel Sunday. 25 cents. Home cooking.

E. S. Waterman has returned to Das Lacs, N. D., to superintend the harvesting and threshing of his crops. His family remains here.

Say, you ought to see the big bargains in men's suits at \$11.00 during Enders' August suit sale.

Messrs. and Messdames C. J. Coburn and M. C. Bressler are spending the week at the Cliff ranch in Sams valley, the home of Mr. Bressler's son.

The new fall and winter samples are now on display at Fuller's. Prices cheaper than ever.

Mrs. P. B. Whitney and daughter, Miss Ruth, returned Monday from a two weeks' visit with Mrs. Whitney's sister, Mrs. Phil Metscham, in Portland.

If you are in need of an auto for hire, call up phone 152, Melvin Beach, expert driver. Day or night calls answered promptly. Charges reasonable.

Mrs. C. A. Strickland returned Friday from a visit with her son in Salt Lake City. She also visited in Helena, Montana, Washington points and Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson were in the city from Griffin Creek Tuesday on a visit to his sister, Mrs. G. W. Fralley. Mr. Wilson has a fine ranch on Griffin creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Beckley and Miss Rose Mulkey of Fort Klamath passed through Ashland Tuesday, on their way home from a trip to the Willamette valley.

Money to loan on improved ranches, first mortgages; mixed farms preferred. W. D. Hodgson, Ashland, Phone 427-J.

Mrs. Josephine Austin, who has been ill for several days, was removed to the Granite City Hospital this morning for treatment. She suffered a hemorrhage from the nose Tuesday morning.

E. E. Phipps has purchased a business lot on the south side of East Main street of E. A. Estes, giving a five-acre tract on lower Oak street as part payment. The deal was consummated Tuesday.

Miss Beulah Caldwell, after a month's visit with her uncle, W. E. Price, in San Francisco, left Wednesday for Carmel-by-the-Sea, to visit with her friend, Miss Margaret Williamson, formerly of Ashland.

W. H. Ney of Portland, representing the Pacific Christian Advocate, is in Ashland on business. It is the purpose of the Advocate to devote an issue to Ashland as the place where the Methodist conference will meet in September.

B. W. Talcott and J. C. Stanley left yesterday for a week's outing at Galice. They will spend the time hunting and fishing and Mr. Talcott may file on a mining claim if something suitable can be found. During his absence R. M. Jones will have charge of the Canyon Press.

O. J. Stone and wife returned Sunday from a week's auto trip to Port Rock and other eastern Oregon points. They visited Crater Lake while absent, returning to Ashland by way of Klamath Falls to Lakeview and thence over the Green Spring mountain road. They made the entire trip of 600 miles without accident or mishap, their Ford machine standing the trip without so much as a puncture.

DISASTER AVERTED.

Liner Strikes Iceberg But Proceeds on Journey.

Monteral.—A message from Captain Cook of the steamship Corsican, received at the Allan Line offices Tuesday, gave additional details of the accident Monday when the liner struck an iceberg in the Straits of Belle Isle.

Captain Cook said the lookout saw the ice and the engines were immediately reversed. When the impact came the steamship was traveling so slowly that the shock was slight.

The Corsican, her master said, was slightly damaged above the water line, but would be able to proceed to Liverpool without assistance, and information to that effect was sent to boats that started to her aid. Captain Cook said nobody was injured.

FORGER GETS BUSY.

Signs Name of W. W. Wilson and Departs With Coin.

A young man named H. J. Clark succeeded in getting away with about \$25 last Saturday when he presented checks to local clothing firms where he made small purchases, and received the change. The checks were for \$12 each and the firms who suffered were Beebe & Kinney and Enders & Son. The forger presented checks made payable to H. J. Clark and signed by W. W. Wilson. When last seen Clark was at Hilt. Local officers are now looking for the culprit.

PROPOSALS.

School district No. 4 wants bids for the building of two school houses. Plans and location can be had by applying to district clerk. Bids must be in 10 days from date of advertisement. HARRIETT KELLOGG, Clerk.

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Rosebush 20 Feet High. E. R. Drummond of Waterville, Me., has in his garden what is believed to be the largest climbing rosebush in Kennebec county, if not in that state. It stands 20 feet in height and at the present time it is covered with blossoms.—Boston Herald.

Any man can afford to listen; few can afford to talk.

Do You Use SOAP?

If so, you should see our special soap display. All the leading makes of

TOILET SOAPS

5c to \$1.00 a cake And at the usual place—

Poley's Drug Store

RABBITS NUMEROUS.

Klamath Falls Man Would Have Bounty on Coyotes Removed.

That a law should be enacted removing the bounty on coyotes and bobcats is the opinion of J. H. Van Meter, a prominent farmer of Olene. He urges that instead of killing the varmints mentioned, farmers should give them a chicken dinner occasionally, but not often enough to prevent their waging war on the rabbits.

"If something is not done to kill off the rabbits in the vicinity of Olene we might just as well give up farming there," said Mr. Van Meter recently. "The bounty of \$1.50 each for coyotes and \$2 each for bobcats has made them very scarce, and with their extermination has come the growth in number of rabbits.

"In my opinion rabbits do far more harm than do coyotes and bobcats. Occasionally a coyote will steal a chicken, but for my part I will willingly provide a chicken dinner once in a while for a coyote or bobcat if by so doing I will encourage the animals to stay around and hunt rabbits.

"There has been a great slaughter for years of coyotes, and the result is that the rabbits have accumulated so rapidly that they have become an actual menace. Give the coyotes a chance, I say, and the rabbits will soon be reduced in numbers. The benefit to the farmer will be great." —Klamath Herald.

FIRE DESTROYS ORCHARD.

Twenty Acres Overrun By Blaze in Stubble.

As the result of a spark from the county's road engine, 20 acres of three-year-old apple and pear trees, a fine barn and several acres of partially timbered land was destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon. The property, known as the Gorden place, on the old Jacksonville road, belongs to Messrs. R. J. Root and W. I. Wawter, and no insurance was carried. The loss is estimated at \$5,000.

The spark obtained its start in a stubble field and was beyond control before the road crew could extinguish it. Driven by a south wind, it swept through the orchard, which was sown interrow with hay, on to the buildings of the ranch, which were a complete loss. Immediately adjoining the property is a fine oak-covered hill which was also swept clean.

Later last night the fire was still burning but no further damage was expected.

Clearance Sale.

For two weeks, in millinery, all lines, big bargains. Mrs. H. Simons.

The Park Hotel serves a generous meal with home cooking. 25 cents.

Children's \$1.50 oxfords for 98c during Enders' August sale.

Buy your school stationery at Ferguson's, the Bargain Store.

Natatorium

Swimming Pool

IS FINE

TUB
SHOWER
PLUNGE
SWIMMING

BATHS

We are equipped with modern steam laundry facilities, all suits and towels receiving the most sanitary treatment. Open from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M.

BATHS 25c

VISITORS' BALCONY FREE

Last Week of McGee's Clearance

TWO MORE WEEKS OF THE SCHOLARSHIP CONTEST

This week will end the clearance and stock reduction sale on all except a few lines of goods which we wish to clean out entirely.

Only a few summer suits left, and they are \$35 and \$25. We would rather have

\$10.00

than carry them over.

Last of our 12 1/2 and 15 cent lawns all put into one big assortment at

9c

PARASOLS — Exceptionally good offerings in parasols in the special lots at

98c., \$1.49, \$1.98

A Good Ending to a Successful Sale

WAISTS

65 to 75 cent waists 49 cents. Waists worth up to \$1.75 put into the 98c lot.

49c, 98c

WAISTS

New arrangement of the finer waists for final cleanup. All new styles, values up to \$2.50, at

\$1.49

SILK WAISTS

And shirts and dainty waists of lawn and voile, worth from \$3.50 up to \$6.75, now

\$2.98

Scholarship Contest Ends August 24th

By consent of a majority of contestants the contest is to close one week earlier than first announced. Standing of contestants Saturday night, August 10th:

(Names of first ten only published from now on.)

Cora Cliff	44,000	Cora Ganiard	8,700
Zenos Moody	36,600	Cornelia Larson	7,475
Larkin Grubb	33,575	Mabel Rease	5,000
Melissa Wenner	23,825	Hildred Bailey	4,875
Jan Mowatt	17,325	Hiram Fordney	4,725

Free Scholarship Contest Closes August 24th



September Patterns Pictorial Review Now on sale

HOW OLE KILLED THE BEAR.

N. F. Throne Tells True Story of a Successful Encounter.

Ole the big Swede was working with a party of cruisers estimating the timber on a large tract of land on the Sluslaw, in the jungles of the Coast Range in western Lane county. It was a rainy day and the mists were hanging in the treetops when quitting time came and Ole made a beeline for the camp down near the river, while the others of the crew took a more indirect route to avoid rough ground. Ole was plunging along through the wet brush, thinking only of the bacon, fried potatoes, hot biscuits and coffee awaiting him, when he passed close to a large cedar tree and a big black bear reared up on his hind quarters by the side of the tree only a few feet away and uttered one of those grinding growls that made Ole jump as only a scared Swede can jump. After going a few rods he glanced back just in time to see the bear going into a large hole at the base of the old cedar. The fright given Ole set his brain to acting quicker than it usually did, and he thought what a good thing it would be to pen the bear in the hollow tree, so he secured some poles and effectively barred the opening, and, feeling rather sore at the bear for giving him such a fright, he sharpened a stick and prodded bruil until he climbed up out of reach, then Ole lit a smudge to smoke bruil out, and in the meantime he lashed his penknife to a pole and when the bear came down, determined to get out, Ole stabbed him so effectively that soon there was no more disturbance inside the tree, and Ole had a bear story to tell in camp that night which his co-workers did not believe. However, the next morning they took a pack mule and on going to the tree found two dead bears inside of it, the old one and a yearling, both of which Ole had killed with his penknife.

This, being a true story, is remarkable in that there were no well-trained dogs, automatic high power guns, bowie knives and hatchets such as are usually in evidence in a successful Oregon bear hunt.

N. F. THRONE.

Seven Electrocuted.

Ossining, N. Y.—Seven murderers were electrocuted in Sing Sing prison Monday. This is the largest number to suffer the death penalty by electricity on one day since the electric chair was adopted. Six Italians and one negro were put to death quietly within an hour and 16 minutes.

You better hop in and take advantage of the big August suit sale at Enders'.

Mining location blanks for sale at the Tidings office.

NEW COAST LINE IS SEEN.

O. & S. E. May Build From Cottage Grove to Winchester Bay.

Cottage Grove.—Cottage Grove is to have a railroad from here to the coast. There is no longer any doubt of it.

Just who are the people behind the new venture cannot be learned positively, but it is certain that the Oregon & Southeastern railway of this city and Jesse Darling and his Milwaukee associates are the prime movers. Some of the capital may be raised locally, but the greater part will come through the O. & S. E. and Darling interests. It is probable that the property of the O. & S. E. will be sold to a new company and the stockholders in the present road take stock for the purchase price in the new road. This cannot be verified at present.

Manager Wood of the O. & S. E., when approached on the subject, admitted that the road was contemplated and that he leaves for the east in a few days on business connected with financing the project.

It is understood that the new road will be operated by steam, instead of by electricity, as at first contemplated, and that the first link, from here to Lorane, will be built during the summer of 1913, the balance to be constructed as conditions warrant, the object being to get to Winchester Bay by the time the Panama canal is opened.

The new road will open up tremendous tracts of timber and thousands of acres of agricultural land and will be one of the biggest things that has happened in the history of Cottage Grove.

Excursion to Dunsuir.

Everyone will doubtless want to go on that special train excursion to Dunsuir, Shasta Springs, Colostin, next Sunday, the 18th. Special train from Grants Pass, Medford, Ashland and intermediate points with modern equipment will take care of the crowd, and one fare for round trip places it within reach of all. See the big ball game at Weed.

If it is Tidings work it is the best.

Good advertising is the sign-post that points to your opportunity as a buyer of needed goods.

The new blazer sweaters are here, and at the price will be sold quickly. They are \$4.00 values, but we sell them for \$2.98. Ferguson's, the Bargain Store.

For Paint and Wall Paper, or work in these lines, see Wm. O. Dickerson. Residencephone 494-R. Store phone 172. We can save you money

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